Program B: Incarceration

Program Authorization: R.S. 15:821-840.2 and R.S. 36:401-409

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The mission of the Incarceration Program is to provide for the custody, control, and care of adjudicated offenders through enforcement of the laws and implementation of programs designed to ensure the safety of the public, staff, and inmates.

The goals of the Incarceration Program are:

- 1. Maximize public safety through appropriate and effective correctional custodial and supervisory programs.
- 2. Provide for the safety of correctional staff and inmates by maintaining an organized and disciplined system of operations that promotes stability in the institution.
- 3. Ensure that basic services relating to adequate food, clothing, and shelter are provided to the inmate population.
- 4. Provide the maximum available bed space allowable by the State Fire Marshal, Department of Health and Hospitals, American Correctional Association requirements, budgeted resources, and good correctional practices.
- 5. Protect the investment by the state in the facility by providing an adequate maintenance program for all buildings and equipment and by following Division of Administration property control regulations.

The Incarceration Program encompasses all security and related costs. It also includes other services related to the custody and care of adjudicated offenders, such as the classification of inmates and related record-keeping, provision of basic necessities such as food, clothing, and laundry services for the inmate population, maintenance and support of the facility and other equipment, and Project Clean-Up. (Project Clean-Up, a cooperative effort between the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, Corrections Services, and the Department of Transportation and Development [DOTD], involves inmate crews for litter pickup and DOTD work crews for mowing and litter collection. The project is a direct result of the commitment of Governor and Mrs. Foster to improve the appearance of roads and highways across the state.) The Incarceration Program comprises approximately 74.25% of the total institution budget.

OBJECTIVES AND PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

Unless otherwise indicated, all objectives are to be accomplished during or by the end of FY 2001-2002. Performance indicators are made up of two parts: name and value. The indicator name describes what is being measured. The indicator value is the numeric value or level achieved within a given measurement period. For budgeting purposes, performance indicator values are shown for the prior fiscal year, the current fiscal year, and alternative funding scenarios (continuation budget level and Executive Budget recommendation level) for the ensuing fiscal year (the fiscal year of the budget document).

1. (KEY) To prohibit escapes.

Strategic Link: This operational objective is related to the program's Strategic Objective I.1: *To prohibit escapes on an annual basis*.

Louisiana: Vision 2020 Link: This operational objective is related to Vision 2020 objective 3.3: To have safe homes, schools, and streets throughout the state.

Children's Cabinet Link: Not applicable

Other Link(s): Not applicable

L	PERFORMANCE INDICATOR VALUES						
Е	YEAREND	ACTUAL	ACT 11	EXISTING	AT	AT	
V	PERFORMANCE	YEAREND	PERFORMANCE	PERFORMANCE	CONTINUATION	RECOMMENDED	
Е	STANDARD	PERFORMANCE	STANDARD	STANDARD	BUDGET LEVEL	BUDGET LEVEL	
L PERFORMANCE INDICATOR NAME	FY 1999-2000	FY 1999-2000	FY 2000-2001	FY 2000-2001	FY 2001-2002	FY 2001-2002	
K Number of escapes	0	0	0	0	0	0	

2. (KEY) To protect staff and inmates from security breaches on a 24-hour basis.

Strategic Link: This operational objective is related to the program's Strategic Objective II.1: To protect staff and inmates from security breathes on a 24-hour basis.

Louisiana: Vision 2020 Link: This operational objective is related to Vision 2020 objective 3.3: To have safe homes, schools, and streets throughout the state.

Children's Cabinet Link: Not applicable

Other Link(s): Not applicable

L		PERFORMANCE INDICATOR VALUES					
Е		YEAREND	ACTUAL	ACT 11	EXISTING	AT	AT
V		PERFORMANCE	YEAREND	PERFORMANCE	PERFORMANCE	CONTINUATION	RECOMMENDED
E		STANDARD	PERFORMANCE	STANDARD	STANDARD	BUDGET LEVEL	BUDGET LEVEL
L	PERFORMANCE INDICATOR NAME	FY 1999-2000	FY 1999-2000	FY 2000-2001	FY 2000-2001	FY 2001-2002	FY 2001-2002
K	Number of inmates per corrections security officer	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.7

GENERAL PERFOI	RMANCE INFO	ORMATION: S	ECURITY TRI	ENDS - WCI			
	PRIOR YEAR PRIOR YEAR PRIOR YEAR PRIOR YEAR PRIOR Y						
	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	ACTUAL		
PERFORMANCE INDICATOR	FY 1995-96	FY 1996-97	FY 1997-98	FY 1998-99	FY 1999-00		
Capacity	1,040	1,104	1,104	1,212	1,212		
Number of inmates per Corrections Security	3.3	3.2	3.4	3.5	3.6		
Officer							
Number of escapes	1	0	0	0	0		
Number of apprehensions	1	0	0	0	0		
Number of major disturbances	0	1	0	1	0		
Number of minor disturbances	20	8	40	33	3		
Number of assaults - inmate on staff	13	8	15	23	22		
Number of assaults - inmate on inmate	147	164	176	191	202		
Number of sex offenses	33	44	33	76	39		

3. (SUPPORTING) To adequately maintain the state's infrastructure.

Strategic Link: This operational objective is related to the program's Strategic Goal V: To protect the investment by the state in the facility by providing an adequate maintenance program for all buildings and equipment and by following Division of Administration Property Control regulations.

Louisiana: Vision 2020 Link: Not applicable Children's Cabinet Link: Not applicable

Other Link(s): Not applicable

L		PERFORMANCE INDICATOR VALUES					
Е		YEAREND	ACTUAL	ACT 11	EXISTING	AT	AT
V		PERFORMANCE	YEAREND	PERFORMANCE	PERFORMANCE	CONTINUATION	RECOMMENDED
Е		STANDARD	PERFORMANCE	STANDARD	STANDARD	BUDGET LEVEL	BUDGET LEVEL
L	PERFORMANCE INDICATOR NAME	FY 1999-2000	FY 1999-2000	FY 2000-2001	FY 2000-2001	FY 2001-2002	FY 2001-2002
	Percent savings resulting from successful completion of risk management audit	Not applicable ¹	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%
	Dollar amount of savings resulting from successful completion of risk management audit	Not applicable ¹	\$24,782	\$24,782	\$24,782	\$21,783	\$21,783

¹ This is a new indicator, therefore there is no performance standard for FY 1999-2000.

RESOURCE ALLOCATION FOR THE PROGRAM

Incarceration	ACTUAL 1999 - 2000	ACT 11 2000 - 2001	EXISTING 2000 - 2001	CONTINUATION 2001 - 2002	RECOMMENDED 2001 - 2002	RECOMMENDED OVER/(UNDER) EXISTING
MEANS OF FINANCING:						
STATE GENERAL FUND (Direct) STATE GENERAL FUND BY:	\$13,157,340	\$12,930,604	\$13,315,909	\$13,860,912	\$13,957,371	\$641,462
Interagency Transfers	98,303	98,303	98,303	104,203	104,203	5,900
Fees & Self-gen. Revenues	246,383	286,330	286,330	286,330	286,330	0
Statutory Dedications	0	0	0	0	0	0
Interim Emergency Board	8,822	0	0	0	0	0
FEDERAL FUNDS	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING	\$13,510,848	\$13,315,237	\$13,700,542	\$14,251,445	\$14,347,904	\$647,362
EXPENDITURES & REQUEST:						
Salaries	\$10,048,987	\$9,234,112	\$9,861,712	\$10,280,022	\$10,737,457	\$875,745
Other Compensation	60,827	378,400	0	0	0	0
Related Benefits	1,609,233	1,615,646	1,721,650	1,777,331	1,879,783	158,133
Total Operating Expenses	1,597,607	1,766,142	1,791,760	1,802,268	1,721,142	(70,618)
Professional Services	7,308	6,942	6,942	7,145	6,942	0
Total Other Charges	2,520	2,580	2,580	3,420	2,580	0
Total Acq. & Major Repairs	184,366	311,415	315,898	381,259	0	(315,898)
TOTAL EXPENDITURES AND REQUEST	\$13,510,848	\$13,315,237	\$13,700,542	\$14,251,445	\$14,347,904	\$647,362
AUTHORIZED FULL-TIME						
EQUIVALENTS: Classified	363	360	360	360	351	(9)
Unclassified	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	363	360	360	360	351	(9)

SOURCE OF FUNDING

This program is funded with State General Fund, Interagency Transfers and Fees and Self-generated Revenues. Interagency Transfers are derived from the Department of Transportation and Development (DOTD) for providing inmate work crews to maintain interstate rest areas and for providing inmate road cleanup crews. The Fees and Self-generated Revenues are derived from the following: (1) employee purchase of meals; (2) funds received from visitors for identification cards; (3) funds received from the inmate canteen to cover the administrative cost incurred in managing the inmate canteen account; (4) funds received from telephone commissions; (5) miscellaneous receipts from offenders, attorneys, etc. for services provided by the institution; (6) funds received from Prison Enterprises for supplies used in the Blueberry Farms Project; (7) medical co-payments required to be received from inmates for certain

medical visits and prescriptions; (8) reimbursement of security salaries to supervise the inmate work crew for the City of Bogalusa; and (9) funds received through the Job Training Partnership Act for the hiring and training of individuals from under-privileged backgrounds.

ANALYSIS OF RECOMMENDATION

GENERAL FUND	TOTAL	T.O.	DESCRIPTION
\$12,930,604	\$13,315,237	360	ACT 11 FISCAL YEAR 2000-2001
			BA-7 TRANSACTIONS:
\$355,204	\$355,204	0	Pay increase for Correctional Security Officers and Probation and Parole Officers
\$30,101	\$30,101	0	Carry Forward for Operating Supplies and Acquisitions
\$13,315,909	\$13,700,542	360	EXISTING OPERATING BUDGET – December 15, 2000
\$213,091	\$213,091	0	Annualization of FY 2000-2001 Classified State Employees Merit Increase
\$220,141	\$220,141	0	Classified State Employees Merit Increases for FY 2001-2002
(\$311,415)	(\$311,415)	0	Non-Recurring Acquisitions & Major Repairs
(\$30,101)	(\$30,101)	0	Non-Recurring Carry Forwards
(\$238,108)	(\$238,108)	(7)	Attrition Adjustment
(\$31,825)	(\$31,825)	(1)	Personnel Reductions
\$0	\$5,900	0	Workload Adjustments - Additional funding for the DOTD Inmate Work Crew
\$905,894	\$905,894	0	Other Adjustments - Provides \$200/month pay increase for Correctional Security Officers and Probation and Parole Officers
(\$45,000)	(\$45,000)	0	Other Adjustments - Reduction Operating Expenses
(\$41,215)	(\$41,215)	(1)	Other Technical Adjustments - Transfer of one (1) Information Technology position to the Administration program to properly reflect funding in the appropriate program.
\$13,957,371	\$14,347,904	351	GRAND TOTAL RECOMMENDED

The total means of financing for this program is recommended at 104.7% of the existing operating budget. It represents 92.5% of the total request (\$15,505,385) for this program. The increase in the recommended level of funding is primarily attributed to the funding of a pay increase for Correctional Security Officers.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

\$6,408	Veterinary services performed on horses and dogs
\$534	Interpreter for hearing impaired inmates
\$6,942	TOTAL PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

OTHER CHARGES

\$2,580 User fee for radio system - Department of Public Safety

\$2,580 TOTAL INTERAGENCY TRANSFERS

ACQUISITIONS AND MAJOR REPAIRS

This program does not have funding for Acquisitions and Major Repairs for Fiscal Year 2001-2002.